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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Lynches River Communications, Incorporated for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the State of South Carolina

Docket No. 2021-316-C

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") and Lynches River Communications, Inc. (the "Company") entered into a Stipulation that ORS filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") on December 8, 2021. ORS does not oppose the Company's Application and does not plan to attend this hearing.

Thank you for your consideration regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Donna L. Rhaney

cc: All Parties of Record (via E-mail)

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